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NEWS RELEASE



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Vehicle Crashes into Power Pole

On April 30, 2012 at approximately 3:47 p.m. Beaverton Police Officers responded to the area of SW Barnes Rd. and HWY 217 South on a report of a single vehicle crash. The crash involved a Blue Dodge passenger car that had struck a power pole on SW Barnes Rd. It appears that the driver lost control of the vehicle and left the roadway.

The driver and only occupant was identified as Julia Ramos (27) of Aloha. Ramos was transported to the hospital for observation and treatment of non life threatening injuries. Alcohol was a factor of this crash and Ramos was arrested for DUII, Reckless Endangering and Reckless Driving.

Traffic on SW Barnes Rd. near the HWY 217 interchange is backed up and will be for an unknown time. Employees of Portland General Electric are on scene evaluating the damaged power pole.

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